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In re application of:

Krag C. SMITH et al.

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For: MOTOR VEHICLE TIRES

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the Office Action dated June 21, 2005, be extended for one (1) month from September 21, 2005 to October 21, 2005, by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17) is believed to be \$55.00 for a one (1) month extension for a small entity. Our check for the one (1) month extension is enclosed. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

Respectfully submitted,

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